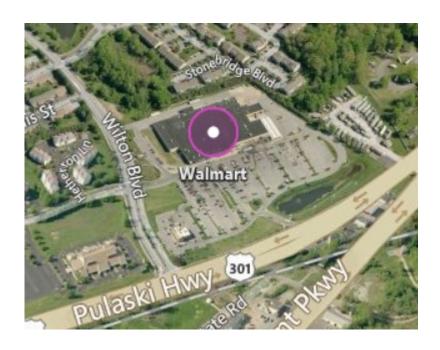
## Troopers Investigating Parking Lot Robbery



**New Castle** — Delaware State Police are currently investigating the armed robbery of a female which occurred in the parking lot of an area Walmart.

The investigation thus far has determined that the incident occurred at approximately 9:30 p.m. on Monday, September 25, 2017, as a female customer of the Walmart, located at 117 Wilton Boulevard, New Castle, was entering the driver's seat of her car which was parked in the lot. It was at this time that a male suspect approached the victim's car and prevented her from closing the driver's side door. He then displayed a handgun and demanded money from her. The suspect then inappropriately touched the female before removing an undisclosed amount of money from her wallet as well as her cell phone. He then fled on foot in an unknown direction. The victim was not injured.

The suspect was described as a black male approximately 25 years of age. He was 5'06" tall and was last seen wearing a red hooded sweatshirt and black jeans. There is no further

physical or clothing description available.

No video surveillance photos are available at this time.

If anyone has any information in reference to this incident they are asked to contact the Robbery Unit at Troop 2 at 302-365-8566. Information may also be provided by calling <a href="Delaware Crime Stoppers">Delaware Crime Stoppers</a> at 1-800-TIP-3333 or via the internet at <a href="www.delaware.crimestoppersweb.com">www.delaware.crimestoppersweb.com</a>.

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